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Interface

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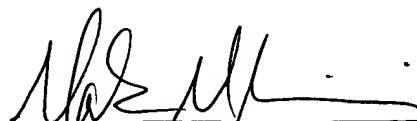
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Patent and Trademark Office action dated February 25, 2004, applicants respond as follows.